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COUNCILLORS TO RETURN UNOPPOSED

Altona's nine-man ratepayer council will remain unchanged for a further twelve months following the re-election of Crs. Les Crofts, Harry Weaver and Bill Sommers, next week.

All three councillors will be returned to council unopposed on polling day, Saturday, August 26.

Their re-election means that they will each serve the community for a further three years before standing for council again.

Crs. Crofts, Weaver and Sommers were unopposed when nominations closed on Tuesday last week.

Cr. Crofts, the father of the council, will commence his third three-year term with Altona Council.

He first stood for council in February 1966, during a by-election to become the only independent councillor in Altona at that time. All the other councillors were A.L.P. members.

Cr. Crofts was re-elected when he had to stand for council again in August that year, and in 1969 he was successful again.

Married with three children, Cr. Crofts, a Civic Parade resident, has lived in the western suburbs for 36 years and in Altona for 23 years.

He was elected Altona's first Mayor, when Altona was proclaimed a City in 1968.

PORTFOLIOS

During his six and a half years with council, he has held the council portfolios of town planning and environmental control. He is currently chairman of the Finance committee.

Cr. Crofts is renowned for his active participation in community and charitable organisations.

He is a Crown Land Bailiff and Justice of the Peace, chairman of Seaholme Primary School Committee and secretary of the Altona Branch of the ANA. He is a Trustee of both the Williamstown General Cemetery and the Memorial Park Crematorium and Lawn Cemetery.

For the past six years, he has been president of the Altona Youth Club.

Cr. Crofts served an apprenticeship in foundry moulding and is now senior vice-president of the Institute of British Foundrymen and a part-time lecturer at the RMIT.

Cr. Harry Weaver has been on Altona Council since 1968 and is tipped to become the next Mayor of Altona. Cr. Weaver won his seat on council during a by-election in 1968, after an unsuccessful attempt in 1965. He was re-elected in August, 1969.

Cr. Weaver is Deputy Mayor. He initiated the name for the now rapidly developing Altona Meadows area and pressed for the stocking of Cherry Lake with fish.

He is council's Board of Works Commissioner and holds its public relations portfolio. He is a Justice of the Peace, a Crown Land Bailiff and vice-chairman and a life governor of Altona District Hospital.

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He is a foundation member of Altona Apex Club, which he was president of from 1964 to 1965, and is a member of Altona Working Men's Club.

Cr. Weaver was born in the district and lives with his wife Lorna and their three children in Millers Road.

Cr. Sommers won his seat on council in 1969. He is a Commissioner for taking Declarations and Affidavits and holds council's social welfare, health and communications portfolio.

He is president of the Second Altona Scout Group and a committeeman for Brooklyn West Primary School. Cr. Sommers is secretary of the Altona Elderly Citizens' Welfare Committee and council representative on the Western Suburbs Municipal Association and the Victorian Council for the Ageing.

He was amongst the Altona North people who lost their homes when properties were demolished to clear the way for the freeway leading to the Westgate Bridge.

He fought hard for the rights of people under similar circumstances in Altona North and has since rebuilt in Altona North where he lives with his wife Kathleen and their three children.



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Beneath the plain exterior ... chaos

The disgrace of Footscray Hospital

Special Star report by Sean Hanrahan

"Intolerable" conditions

Footscray and District Hospital has become the victim of harsh official Government neglect. It is overcrowded, falling in many cases into a state of disrepair, and is drastically inadequate for the area it serves.

Up to 50 emergency cases a week are being turned away or delayed, and the management is now thinking seriously of putting up an army field tent on the front lawn to carry out operations in while vital maintenance work is carried out on the theatres inside.

The pressure has caused strain amongst the staff and disillusionment among the management.

Some doctors have described the situation as "intolerable" and say they would be within their rights to refuse to work at the hospital.

The shocking story of the plight of Footscray and District Hospital was revealed exclusively to the **Star** this week by the hospital's medical superintendent, Dr. Peter McCleave.

Dr. McCleave decided to reveal the full facts despite possible comebacks because "the situation is becoming soul-destroying for myself and my staff."

He was given full support in his disclosures by the MLA for Footscray, Mr. Robert Fordham, several leading surgeons and doctors in the west, and other community leaders.

In several interviews Dr. McCleave revealed these facts:

● The hospital has been trying for the past eight years to get an extra 250 beds. And during the past 10 years only 60 beds have been added.

● The ratio of beds to 100,000 of population in the western suburbs, which the Footscray Hospital serves, is 1.7. The ratio for the country areas of the State is eight and for the metropolitan area as a whole it is 3.7.

● More than 100 pregnant women a month are turned away from the hopelessly inadequate midwifery section.

● The hospital has no provision for the aged or handicapped.

● Because of the pressure on the hospital's complex of three theatres, no significant maintenance work has been carried out on them for eight years.

"The guts of the problem is that we simply cannot cope any longer," said Dr. McCleave.

"We have people coming from Tullamarine to Geelong to Bacchus Marsh.

And we have only 315 beds. The facts show that Footscray issues the most number of flats permits of all suburbs, so the problem is continually snowballing.

"Not a few hundred yards away from the hospital are the new flats in Gordon Street . . . 215 elderly people are there. More problems for us."

Dr. McCleave said the problem that worried him most was that of the operating theatres. He said the situation was "intolerable."

"We did 5007 operations last year in the three theatres. Even a major teaching hospital in the city like the Alfred does about 9000 with nine theatres.

"We do so many operations in them there is no time to carry out necessary major maintenance work . . . even the lights in the theatres are not good enough, and there are not enough of them.

"In one day recently there were 15 operations scheduled, and during the day another 11 emergency cases had to be done. And nine surgeons had to handle all that."

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Jumble sale a success

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The jumble sale was organised by the Deputy Superintendent of the Williamstown Service Company, Mrs. J. Grant.

Old bottles

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Mr. Stanley, of 41 Mary Street, Spotswood, could put them to good use.

He sells them and donates the proceeds to Legacy.

Donors are asked to leave their bottles at Mr. Stanley's door.

Something for them to do over holidays

The Victorian YWCA Victorian Council has again come to the fore in providing recreational entertainment for school children throughout the holiday period.

During the first week of the September school holidays — Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday — the YMCA will be conducting croquet classes for high school girls.

During the second week of the holidays, Monday, August 28-Friday, September 21, will be holding a holiday programme for primary school children, at Werribee Presbyterian Church.

The programme will include outings to Geelong, to see Willy Wonka and the Chocolate Factory, Adiscott Adventure Camp, and Puffing Billy.

The activities centred around the church will include cardboard construction, "yabbying", a bike gymkhana and games.

'Kelly' makes new friends..



"Kelly", Emu Bottom's sheep dog, makes friends with Harold Wilson (left) and Andrew Latella, from Altona North Technical School.

The boys and 25 of their classmates visited the homestead to see how a sheep station was run in the 1800's.

He's in line for a grand tour

Brian Murphy, of Altona, has won area selection in this year's Mobil Youth Travel Awards, which will be held in Footscray soon.

Australia-wide, nearly 2000 applications were received for the awards, which will enable one student from each State to undertake a three-weeks' tour of Australia next January.

At the area selection panel, the judges will choose one student to go on to the State finals, which will be held in Melbourne, in September.

Judges at the first stage selection — when one student was chosen to represent his or her school — said the standard of applicants was exceptionally high.

The tour itinerary, which has been completed, includes visits to areas of Australia's latest developments in industry, agriculture, mining and tourism.

Each Mobil award is valued at $2000 in travel, accommodation and a spending allowance.

The lapidary people meet

The next meeting of the Western Suburbs Lapidary Club will be held on August 17, at Electra Street Methodist Hall, Williamstown, at 8 p.m.

The meeting will take the form of a film night.

Visitors and intending members are welcome. The club meets at the same venue each month.

Disgrace of hospital

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Dr. McCleave claimed the position at this stage indicated that there was little hope of Footscray Hospital getting the extra 250 beds it needed for another five years.

The 250 beds, he said, would necessitate a seven or eight storey block, which would cost around $5 million.

"The basic bricks and mortar of the hospital was all right for the area 10 years ago. But for today it is woefully inadequate," he said.

"Except perhaps for pathology, every department of the hospital is lacking. Even the office staff and the canteen.

"We need a seven or eight storey building with 250 beds now . . . not tomorrow or the day after . . . plus the services that would go with it."

Dr. McCleave praised the efforts of the hospital's board of management in trying to get a just deal for the hospital and added that it was now disillusioned and "quite desperate."

He said the Hospitals and Charities Commission had originally agreed in principle in 1969 to extend to 500 beds.

But in April this year, Dr. Lindell, representing the Hospitals and Charities Commission, had told the hospital's board of management that he could not give a definite answer and that "the needs of Footscray must be considered along with the needs of other hospitals."

Thought UK licence was OK here, but . .

A British migrant had thought it would be in order to drive for a time on a British licence, Footscray Court was told last Thursday.

The court was told that the man had also had an international driving permit, but it had expired when police stopped him, in Footscray Road last March 23.

David Jarvis, of Koroit Creek Road, Altona, pleaded guilty to charges of unlicensed driving and speeding.

Mr. G. Miller, SM, was told by Mobile Traffic Squad police they had followed Jarvis at a steady 65 mph.

When stopped, he had produced a United Kingdom driving licence.

He had said he was a permanent resident of Victoria.

Jarvis said in an unsworn statement to the court he had not realised he could not drive in Victoria on a British licence.

At the time he had intended applying for a Victorian licence, and since had done this.

Mr. Miller fined Jarvis $30 for unlicensed driving and $60 for speeding.

He said as the speed had been particularly high, Jarvis' licence would be suspended for a month.

Holiday time activities

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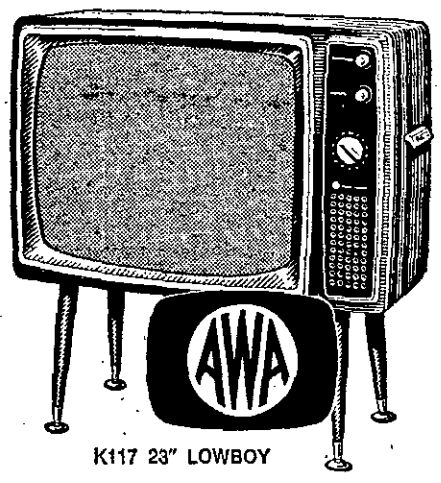
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A new, $10 million complex at Altona is expected to start production of high density polyethylene early next year.

Union Carbide Australia and New Zealand Ltd. has built the complex alongside its existing low density polyethylene plant.

High density polyethylene is used mainly in the production of bottles, moulded products and pipes.

It has essentially different properties to low density polyethylene, giving products greater rigidity.

The new plant will draw its feeder-stock, ethylene, from the Altona Petrochemical Company, which is jointly owned by the Esso and Mobil Groups.

Asian bid

Union Carbide intends to tackle the South-East Asian and Japanese export markets with output from the plant.

Up to 20 per cent. of initial output is expected to be sold for export.

Current planning provides for the plant to produce about 60 million pounds of high density polyethylene within the first 12-18 months of operation.

It is anticipated that about 12 million pounds will go to overseas markets.

Provision has been included for the new plant to be expanded beyond the 60 million pound-a-year level.

The ultimate production capacity has not been disclosed.

Union Carbide's 1971 annual report forecast that heavy expenses associated with the new plant would adversely affect 1972 profits.

And there was a recent reduction in selling prices of low density polyethylene following the Government's acceptance of the Tariff Board's report on industrial chemicals and synthetic resins in February this year.

But Union Carbide still lifted net profit by four per cent in the six months ended June.

This increase was achieved on an 11 per cent. rise in sales.

Werribee holds a trade fair

Werribee will hold its first trade fair on August 25, 26 and 27.

The fair, which has been organised by the Werribee Rotary Club, will take place in Centenary Hall with exhibitions and amusements taking up most of Wedge Street as well.

About 100 exhibitors, from both local firms and some of Australia's biggest manufacturers, have arranged to take part.

A good line-up of entertainers, including Fredd Bear and Judy Banks, will visit the fair to entertain the children on school holidays.

The trade fair opens at 10 a.m. on Friday, August 25 and on Saturday, August 26 and finishes at 10 p.m.

On Sunday, August 27, the fair will be open from 11 a.m. until 5 p.m.

"Hogwash" on mini bikes says father of users

TO THE EDITOR

SIR,—In answer to all that hogwash printed in the last issue of the Star about mini-bikes, I would like to say that I have two sons who own bikes and I am not one of these fathers who are supposed to invest about $300 to get rid of my kids so I can be on my own.

As far as pollution goes, it seems that you can't even own a car or a motor mower. There is only one solution so far as I am concerned and that is to buy yourself a horse and buggy (no pollution).

I get quite a lot of enjoyment watching my sons on their machines. There is a track at the Old Williamstown Racecourse that up to 60 kids use every weekend.

So if you have any complaints, see their parents — don't take it out on honest kids.

As for the manufacturers turning these lethal machines loose, then they must also be guilty of turning out a motor car, as there are more accidents in cars than on mini-bikes.

SKIP TAYLOR, 9 Wattle Grove, Seaholme.

The youths beat the cook

Two youths stole three $1 notes from a Borrack Square, Altona North, shop while its owner was cooking a hamburger they had ordered.

The youths went to a shop operated by Mr. Angelo Karageorge and while he cooked their hamburger, they leaned over the counter and took the notes from a cash drawer.

Police have been unable to obtain a description of either youth.

Welfare committee

Mr. E. Dickson was chosen president at the annual election of the Altona Elderly Citizens Welfare Committee.

Other office bearers are: Mr. P. Matthews, vice-president; Mr. A Daws, vice-president; Mrs. E. Dickson, secretary; Mrs. I. Kirk. treasurer.

Committee: Cr. W. Somers, Mrs. R. Watson, Mr. E. Heyme, Mr. J. Bleakley, Mr. E. Hall, Mrs. J. Bleakley, Mrs. F. Heyme and Mr. J. Smith.

"RAAF Europe" get-together

Members of the RAAF and allied air forces who served in Europe and the Middle East in World War II will hold their annual "RAAF Europe" dinner at the Chevron Hotel, Melbourne, on Friday, September 29.

Special guests will include the Governor of Victoria, Sir Rohan Delacombe.

The guest speaker will be World War II fighter ace and later C-in-C of RAF Fighter Command, Air Chief Marshal Sir Basil Embry, DSO and three Bars, DFC, AFC. He lives in retirement in W.A.

Sir Basil was captured by the Germans after being shot down over France in 1940, but escaped and got back to England to continue operational flying.

The dinner is being arranged by air and ground crew members of squadrons and Pathfinder Force which flew against Germany and Italy during the war.

As seating will be limited to about 300 men, those planning to attend are advised to book early by writing to the re-union secretary, Mr. Frank Dimmick, 37 Queen Street, Melbourne, 3000. Telephone 62 7427. Cost of tickets is $8.

The RAAF Central Band from Laverton will provide dinner music.

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Careful check on oil in sewer

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The board has already had problems with oil at its Heatherton plant and is determined to stop any oil getting in at Altona.

Oil which enters a putrification plant forms a skin over the surface of the tanks.

This prevents oxygen working on the matter and purifying it.

The resulting scum putrifies and produces a strong stench which permeates the atmosphere for miles around.

The Star is assured by the board that oil does not present a health hazard.

A board spokesman added that people would not be in contact with it in the event of oil getting in.

The spokesman added that it was important to keep a careful watch on the area because of the large numbers of refineries and oil treatment plants.

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COUNCIL BRIEFS

The re-election of Altona Councillors W. L. J. Crofts, H. Weaver and Bill Sommers, next week, will mean a saving of $1,000 by ratepayers, because there will be no election.

Council has taken out a $100,000 loan to carry out work including essential street construction, Blenheim Road, Altona North, serving the new high school, Burgess Road, for industrial development in that area and council contribution towards the provision of a convenience block on Cresser Reserve, in the vicinity of the boat ramp. The schedule will also include work on reserves.

A START has been made on the Cole's New World Supermarket, in Pert Street, Swanson Brothers, the builders for the Coles Haonover group, have built their sheds on the site parking area in readiness to start the project. They hope to have the building completed by Christmas.

AT A RECENT Board of Works function, council's Board of Works Commissioner, Cr. Harry Weaver, met the Chairman of the Port Phillip Authority, Brigadier Malloy. Brigadier Malloy has accepted an invitation to visit Altona and discuss "means and ways" of developing the foreshore. He was advised by Cr. Weaver that a master plan was needed for the foreshore, in order to cater for the thousands of beach users in the westeern suburbs.

AT COUNCIL'S recent Pollution Control Committee meeting, it was successfully moved that a sub-committee be formed to investigate and report on the possibility of creating a large green belt, or a buffet area of quick growing trees between industry and housing, in Altona West.

DAVID STREET branch sewer area (1895) which will service the main business area and adjoining properties, is now 54 per cent. complede. Ransane Reserve branch sewer area (1890) is now 78 per cent. complete. Both areas were to be completed last month, but are two months behind schedule due to bad ground conditions.

THE NATURAL THING

By Bill Ross

The average spectator of a VFL football match vastly underestimates the speed of the game. Once the ball is in his hands, the individual player is subjected to an incredible amount of pressure. What he does with that ball is a decision he must make at computer-like speed. For if he falters or fails to take into account an unknown variable (i.e. a player behind him) he will be instantly flattened.

If a footballer's disposal of the ball deteriorates into haphazard punt-kicking and looking for a team-mate downfield, it is generally because of the pace of the game.

Spectators also fail to notice the numerous incidents of unfair play. They see only the reportable, blatantly offensive acts of violence.

For during 100 minutes of football the average player physically pays for every kick he gets. Consequently at the end of each game his body is bruised and sore and often this routine discomfort is aggravated by a severe facial injury.

These pressures of speed and violence result in a high turnover of players. In general the average footballer's playing career spans only three or four years. It is only the undefeated champion who is able to shrug off these pressures for 10 years or more.

Footscray and Altona's Stuart Magee has shown the qualities which make him such a champion.

Only small, 5 ft. 8 in. tall and around 12 stone, Stewie has played ten seasons and 170 games of League football with Footscray and South Melbourne.

His dedication to the game should be an example to young players who are contemplating playing top grade football.

For years he has trained three times a day to reach the peak fitness demanded by League football.

Just recently, world champion athlete, Ron Clarke, stated publicly that Magee (according to tests administered at the Melbourne YMCA) was the fittest footballer in Victoria.

While fitness is important, it is not everything — a player must have other skills. In his respect, Magee's greatest attribute is his ball-winning ability. Week after week, he continually gains around 30 kicks a match.

Couple this with his ability to generate teamwork (he finished with the highest number of handpasses in League football last season) and you have a very valuable footballer in any side.

Although under-rated by the press who are ever vigilant for "loudmouths" and "characters" to feed to a gullible public, Stuart Magee has achieved most of the things a Victorian footballer aims for.

He has captained a VFL team represented the State and has been on an overseas football tour.

Stewie, the pain, the sweat, and the tears were worth it.

THE STARS



WEEK COMMENCING AUGUST 16, 1972

ARIES (March 21 - April 19): Impulsive action will lead to regrets this week. You may have a brilliant idea or be offered a fantastic proposition, but you will not benefit if you act on these without careful consideration. In matters of color, mixed shades predominate. The most prominent number: three.

TAURUS (April 20 - May 20): This week promises to bring important changes which will be advantageous to you and those close to you. Listen to advice given on Wednesday and watch health risks during the early hours of that day. Colors to watch: Light pink and green. Recommended numbers are: eight and nine.

GEMINI (May 21 - June 20): Decisive action will be needed this week if progress is desired. your decisions may not necessarily be the right ones, but they will, at least, be a step forward. An exciting social event is forecast for this week. There are no color preferences. Six is an outstanding number.

CANCER (June 21 - July 20): Heavy expenditure should be avoided this week. Elements ruling money matters are undergoing an upheaval and you will find it difficult enough to balance your budget without incurring new debts. Good news concerning a loved one can be expected. Best color: Yellow. Best number: three.

LEO (July 21 - August 22): Family affairs will take prominence during the early part of this week. Harmonious relations may be jeopardised if all parties refuse to compromise on a certain issue, and it may be left to you to break the deadlock. Favored shade: Dark green. Numbers to watch: four and six.

VIRGO (August 23 - September 22): A depressive cycle could cause you to feel off color at the moment. This in turn may make your temper edgy, so you should avoid situations where you are likely to lose control. A time to relax. Ivory and mauve are the best colors. Nine is an excellent number.

LIBRA (September 23 - October 22): Events up until Wednesday should be both stimulating and absorbing with social matters taking prominence. However, a sudden and unexpected crisis of an emotional nature may strike on Thursday, and you should be prepared for instant action. Best color: Red. Best Number: seven.

SCORPIO (October 23 - November 21): An excellent week for travel, outdoor activities and new projects. Some financial relief can be expected by Scorpios whose expenses are higher than their incomes. Not a good time to rely too heavily on others. Favored shade: Brown. Numbers to watch are: eight and nine.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 - December 22): The bright spot of this week will be an encounter with an old friend. Generally, the pace will be rather slow and will frustrate those who are working hard towards a particular aim. But gains could result from marking time. Blue is the best color. Lucky number is: two.

CAPRICORN (December 23 - January 20): A very upside-down sort of week is forecast. One moment everything will be sailing along splendidly, and the next moment confusion will reign. Provided you take the bad patches in your stride, you should battle through unscathed. Favored shade: Gold. Recommended number: six.

AQUARIUS (January 21 - February 18): Events during the first half of this week may not be to your liking. Difficult people and difficult situations may give you some worrying moments. But the air will clear dramatically as the week progresses. There are no color preferences. Five is the favored number.

PISCES (February 19 - March 20): A fine week for pushing ahead with ideas and plans for feathering your nest. Also a good week for improving your relationships with others. News from a long distance could bring exciting surprises. In matters of color, mixed shades predominate. Lucky numbers are: three and four.



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They called him Heldig which is Swedish for lucky and they found him in the grounds of the Williamstown Girls High School.

They are five 4C pupils at the school: Cassie Hall, Angela Pike, Sandra Cole, Sheryl Brown and Janice Morgan.

And Heldig is a seagull the girls found suffering from a broken wing.

That was three weeks ago and after tender nurturing and a couple of visits to the vet., the bird was taken to the Melbourne Zoo on Monday with a plea.

The girls wrote to the manager of the zoo, asking him to release Heldig when he is better.

He is a "wild thing," they say, and this is what they wrote:

Would you please release the seagull when his wing has completely healed.

We found it as a wild bird and would like to keep it that way.

Could you please write to us at the following address (that of the school) and tell us the condition of the wing in a couple of weeks.

Thank you very much for looking after him for us.



MOTORING

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Tow truck scramble attacked

The sharp increase in the number of tow trucks attending road accidents is being closely watched by the Transport Regulation Board and the Victorian Automobile Chamber of Commerce

The chamber's executive vice-president, Mr. Athol Kelly, said recently:

"The large number of tow trucks attending accident scenes these days is due to the fact that the tow truck population in Melbourne is reaching saturation point.

"The situation had been reached where some tow trucks were creating serious road traffic hazards at accident scenes in the metropolitan area. With up to 10 trucks attending two-vehicle smashes the position is quite ridiculous.

"I'm not, however, suggesting that the tow truck industry has reverted to the situation 10 years ago when VACC-backed legislation had to be brought in to control tow truck operation and standards in this State, as there have been substantial improvements since those days due to TRB control and strong efforts by towing firms to present a better image to the motoring public.

"But we support the recent TRB move to make all new tow licences non-transferable. It is a logical step to take to dissuade trafficking in licences.

"Tow operators must have a TRB licence for each truck — this law is being designed to sensibly limit the number of vehicles operated at accident scenes. However, the chamber believes some companies have been increasing the number of tow trucks under their control by buying licensed vehicles from smaller operators."

Mr. Kelly said: "The chamber, the Government and the TRB are all equally concerned and desire to prevent these practices from getting out of hand in this highly competitive industry.

"The TRB on its part, has announced that it will discourage applications for unrestricted tow licences for some time ahead and that licences may contain a no-transfer clause inserted in them when they come up for renewal.

"The chamber has also been asked by the TRB to examine again the possibility of zoning tow truck operations in suburban areas," he added.

Mr. Kelly said discussion would be held with officials of the Towing Operators' Division to see if a zoning scheme could be made to work. In addition the behavior of tow truck drivers generally would come under scrutiny by the TRB and the chamber.

However, the problems were complex and would take some little time to implement.

Mr. Kelly said that there were a number of developments in the tow truck industry which were disturbing. One practice frowned on by the chamber involved the use of radio-controlled scout cars which arrive at accident scenes in advance of tow trucks.

The driver then proceeds to sign up drivers in the smash.

He said that this practice was against TRB regulations and often against the best interests of the driver of the damaged vehicle.

Last word in radio

"Top quality car radios at realistic prices" — this is the brightly lit sign that welcomes car radio buyers to G and J. Marks' tiny shop in Nelson Place.

As both new and used radios are on sale, the accent is on quality, not age or model.

Customers at Marks' find most success with radios from well-known local manufacturers, Ferris, Astor, AWA, Kriesler and HMV.

Some better known imported brands — such as Hitachi, Sanyo and National — are also available.

The shop is an authorised car radio sales and service centre. Most of the Ferris service work for the western suburbs is carried out in the air-conditioned, fully equipped service department.

In charge of this section is Don Marks, with help from Wally Trew. Both men are qualified technicians.

They can advise customers on the best choice in car radio for a particular make of car, or a special model to suit requirements such as interstate reception.

Most buyers like to have a "tailored" or specially designed radio for their car.

Some of the most popular cars, such as certain Holden and Falcon models, require special radios; or at least special fitting kits.

Car owners attempting to update their cars, but retain the existing car radios, can purchase hard-to-get installation equipment, or, failing that, trade in on the right radio at a low change-over price.

Customers can also choose from the huge range of aerials, trim plates and mounting equipment, and can be assured of personal service.

Manager John Marks is available to speak to customers most of the time.

In all, the tiny shop offers a complete car radio service — and this is only one department of a very interesting shop.

Torana club

Major Melbourne Holden dealership, Garry & Warren Smith, is sponsoring the establishment of a club for Torana owners.

The theme of the club will be motor sport, and all the social aspects that a club can maintain.

The inaugural meeting will be held at the showroom of Garry and Warren Smith, 1575 Dandenong Road, Oakleigh, on August 29, at 8 p.m. The guest speaker will be Harry Firth.

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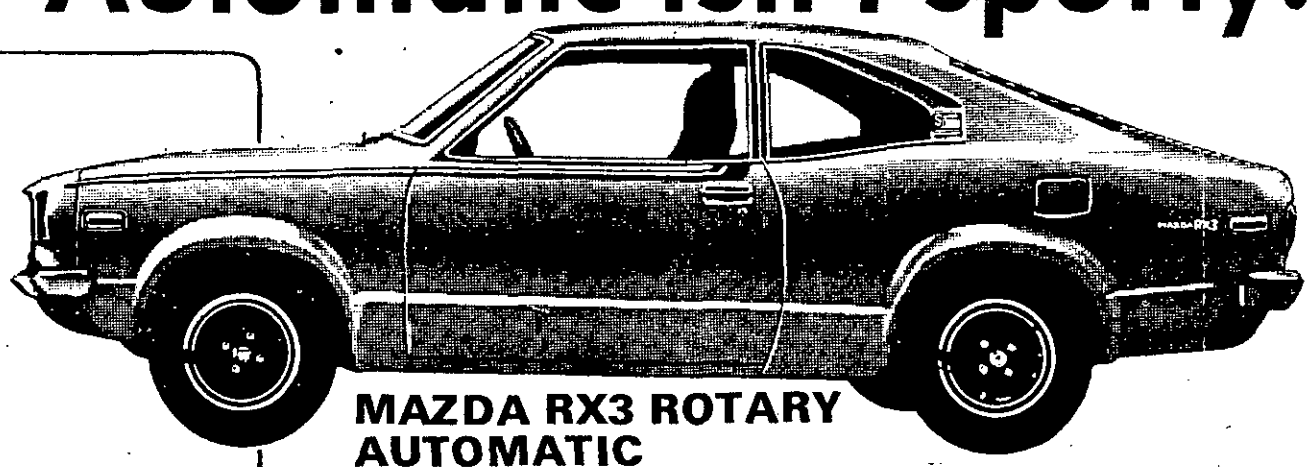
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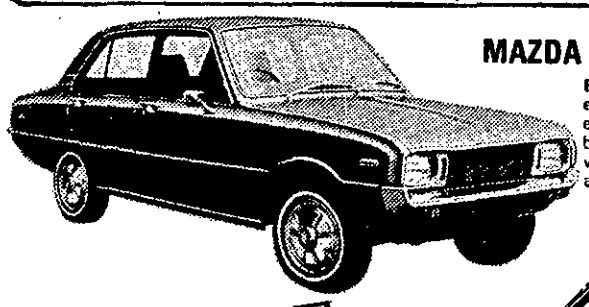
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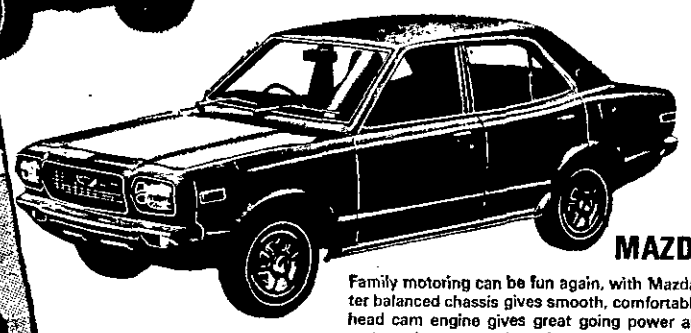
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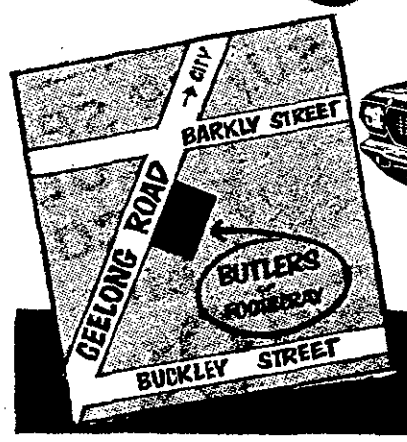
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Court to probe tug disaster

The Minister for Public Works, Mr. Murray Byrne, has ordered a formal investigation by a Court of Marine Inquiry into the sinking of the tug Melbourne last week.

The disaster resulted in the death of five crew members.

The tug sank in heavy seas near the Williamstown lighthouse early on August 9.

Those lost in the tragedy were Robert Booth, chief engineer, of Hudsons Road, Spotswood, Robert Ryan, greaser, of Coonawarra Drive, Lara, George Boneham, greaser, of Deavey Court, Altona, Alex McDonald, greaser, of the Pier Hotel, Williamstown and William Corns, the tug's cook.

Corns lived in Vulcan Grove, Williamstown.

FIVE SAVED

Five survivors were rescued by the ship, the **Niew Holland.**

They were the captain, **Robert Roest,** of Brook Drive, Altona, able seaman **Brian Banner** of Gladstone Road, Briar Hill, **Robert Lucas** of Woodvine Grove, Chelsea, **John Logan** of Elphin Street, Newport and **Joseph Buckley** of Mason Street, Newport.

The Minister announced the inquiry after the submission to him of details of a comprehensive preliminary inquiry conducted by the Marine Board of Victoria.

Under the direction of the Minister, officers of the Marine Board began their inquiry early Wednesday morning and have worked continuously to gather details of the sinking of the **Melbourne.**

The court will consist of a County Court Judge, who will be advised by at least two assessors. These assessors will be selected from a panel, chosen by the Marine Board, of persons having special skill and experience in nautical matters.

The Minister indicated that this offical court will be held in an open court and will be freely available to the public.

The court will be asked initially to give the answers to a comprehensive series of questions formed by the Marine Board on the circumstances and causes of the capsising of the **Melbourne,** Mr. Byrne said.

The Minister gave assurance — the court will be convened at the earliest practicable date.

But he noted that it would first be necessary to complete, as far as possible, the searching and salvage operations at the site of the tragedy.

Meeting demands halt to power station plans

About 400 Williamstown residents and opponents of the State Electricity Commission have resolved to demand the State Government unconditionally stop the construction of a second power station at Newport.

And they insist that *no other power station* ever be again considered for Newport, or anywhere else in the metropolitan area.

This resolution was carried unanimously by *last Sunday's* public meeting in the Town Hall called by the Williamstown Conservation and Planning Society.

Among the guests were two representatives from the Environment Protection Authority, representatives from the Port Phillip Conservation Council and Williamstown councillors, Dawes and Lalor.

Reach five miles

Dr. Cyril Curtain told the meeting pollution from the station would reach areas five miles away.

He said the power station would increase pollution on days of temperature inversion by up to 30 per cent.

Cr. Peter Lalor said many people believed Williamstown would *die if the power station* started production.

Following this theme of the suburb dying, the protestors marched to The Strand Reserve behind a hearse bearing dead fish.

Here balloons on 600 ft. of cord were flown to give residents some idea of the height of the power station's chimney.

Speakers at the reserve included: representatives from Port Phillip Conservation Council and Mrs. Proctor of the Combined Pensioners Association.

Mr. Stanley of Spotswood, spoke on damage to property by present air polluters and Mrs. E. Harris, a trained nurse, spoke to the ladies of respiratory and cardiac ailments and the affect of pollution from the power station.

POLICE BEAT

An invalid pensioner's wheel chair was stolen while the pensioner sat powerless in a car.

The pensioner was waiting for a friend to put the *chair into the boot of the* car.

Pensioner John Burgess of Chambers Road, North Altona, told Williamstown Police the theft took place at 9.20 p.m., on August 10 from outside the Central Hotel, North Altona.

The wheel chair was valued at $200.

Goods valued at $430 were taken from a house at 2 Edina Street, Williamstown on August 9.

Thieves broke in through a side window and made off with a tape recorder, transistor and a 25-inch television, as well as a suitcase and several smaller items.

Williamstown Police say the robbery happened between 7.30 a.m. and 4 p.m.

The Williamstown Ladies Bowling Club has been wilfully damaged.

Vandals smashed two exterior windows of the clubrooms but stole nothing.

Police allege the damage was done between 11 p.m. on August 4 and 11 a.m. on August 8.

Thieves in Williamstown have set themselves up for cigarettes and whisky for quite a while.

They smashed a window in the front door of the Hobsons Bay Yacht Club and took $200 worth of cigarettes and whisky.

The theft took place between 5 p.m. on August 10 and 9.30 a.m. on August 11.

The yacht club must have been quite a popular spot last week. A camera was taken from the back seat of a car parked at the club the same night.

The camera, valued at $200, belongs to Harry Jager of Cheltenham.

A car belonging to Allan Leonard of 42 Yarra Street, Williamstown, was stolen from the street outside his home last week.

The car, which was left locked, was stolen between 10.30 p.m. on August 8 and 7.45 a.m. on August 9.

The registration number is GVU-794.

You won't get wet...

Williamstown ferry passengers will get some protection from the weather while waiting for their ship to come in.

The Melbourne Harbor Trust has agreed to a request from Williamstown Council to provide access to the shelter on the Port Melbourne side of the ferry crossing.

Westona wins — again

Westona Little Athletic Club last Sunday won the cross country centre championships for the third year in succession.

The club scored a total of 876 points.

Its nearest rival was the Altona Club with 855 points and Altona North third with 288 points.

The following athletes won medals:

Girls under 9—1000 metres, M. Dodd (W) 4.11, Gold medal; D. *Rice (W) 4.23, Silver;* J. *Knell* (A) 4.32, Bronze.

Girls under 10 — 1000 metres, A. Thompson (AN) 4.03, Gold; girls under 11, — 2000 metres — K. Thompson (AN) 8.28, Gold; J. Rice (W) 9.29, Silver; L. Turner (A) 11.58, Bronze.

Girls under 12 — 2000 *metres, J. George (W) 8.34,* Gold; J. Backhouse (W) 9.36, Silver; J. Moss (AN) 9.39, Bronze.

Boys under 9 — 2000 metres, P. Hyde (W) 7.39. Gold: T. Knell (A) 7.56, Silver; S. Robinson (W) 8.11, Bronze.

Boys Under 10 — 2000 metres, G. Morris (W) 7.26, Gold; G. McWilliams (W) 7.41, Silver; D. Gaul (A) 8.34, Bronze.

Boys under 11 — 3000 metres, S. Green (W) 12.50, Gold; M. King (W) 14.28, Silver.

Boys under 12 — 300 metres, A. Anderson (AN) 13.47, Gold.

Boys Under 13 — 3000 metres, G. Thompson (AN) 11.20, Gold.

Parents of children competing at Altona Club are reminded of their club meeting to be held next Thursday, August 17, at 7.45 p.m.

The meeting will be held in The Homestead, Queen Street.

A plate of supper is required.

TPI SOCIAL AFTERNOON

The Williamstown and Western Suburbs TPI Soldiers' Social Club held a card afternoon, on August 10.

More than 66 members attended and competition winners were Mrs. G. Taylor and Mr. F. Brown.

The next card afternoon will be held in the Manchester Unity Hall, Footscray, on August 24.

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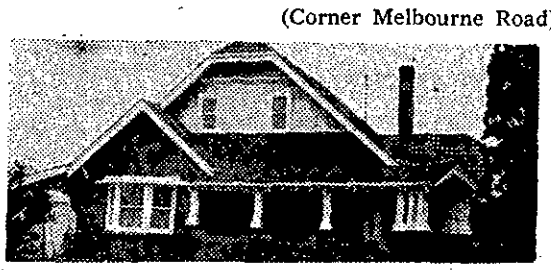
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WILLIAMSTOWN WILL GET OWN THEATRE

Williamstown will soon have its own theatre, according to the latest issue of Cues and News, the theatrical company's own newspaper.

The Little Theatre has only been rented, but now the company is in a financial position to buy it.

Rehearsals are in progress for Vin Foster's production of the **Prime of Miss Jean Brodie,** by Jay Presson Allen, which is the Little Theatre's second production with the Pumpkin Theatre.

The cast is headed by June Lownds in the title role.

Christine Saunders has been cast as Sandy, Gillian Wadds as Miss McKay and Janet Stahl as Sister Helena.

Bill Martin, who last appeared in Williamstown three years ago in Make Me An Offer, will play Gordon Lowther, the music master.

The play will be at Williamstown from September 6 to 16 and at the Pumpkin Theatre from October 7 to 21.

The curtain rises

One name that constantly appears on Williamstown Little Theatre's programme is actor-producer Vin Foster.

By "Thisbe"

Many subscribers will remember Vin's first appearance as Danny in **Night Must Fall,** others will recall **The Matchmaker, Nolson's Choice** and many more excellent roles.

His most recent successes have been in **The Odd Couple** and reading the sonnets in **The Swan of Avon.**

His productions have always been popular.

Many beginners have been encouraged to continue on stage after the first shakey parts because of Vin's patience.

This year Vin has decided to take a rest. He will not be responsible for the decision making associated with the staging of a season of plays.

Just for fun, he may take a part in a play or help front-of-house.

His production of The Prime of Miss Jean Brodie will be staged from September 6-16.

This play demands great attention to detail so Vin and his cast are working very hard to make it successful.

Mr. Alec Colville would like to hear from club secretaries and the general public who are interested in buying tickets. His phone number is 3977812.

POWER STATION ROW:

Pensioners in opposition

At the monthly general meeting of the Williamstown-Newport branch of the Combined Pensioners Association on August 11, members discussed the proposed extension of the Newport Power Station.

It was decided the secretary will write to the conservation committee, congratulating them on their efforts and advising them of the branch's support to have this project built at a more appropriate site.

The next meeting will be a social afternoon held at the Newport Library Hall on August 25.

$25 million contract

A Sydney firm, International Combustion Australia Ltd., has won a contract from the SEC to build a boiler plant for the new Newport power station.

The contract is worth $25 million.

It's entry time for art show

Entries will close on Friday, August 25, for the art show conducted by Werribee chapter of Beta Sigma Phi.

Entry forms should be sent to Mrs. J. Bellin, Sneydes Road, Laverton.

Preparations are well in hand and further information will be passed on through our paper.

The art show will be held in Centenary Hall from Saturday, September 16, to Tuesday 19.

Left house, in moved thieves

Goods worth $24 were stolen by thieves who raided a Newport house on August 9.

Mr. Pola Fajic left his house in Susman Street, Newport about 12.15 p.m. and found it had been ransacked when he returned about 3.35 p.m.

A transistor radio and a pair of towels were stolen.

Detectives at Footscray CIB believe the ransacking was in a search for money.

They do not know how the thieves entered the house.

Although a wire screen on one window was torn, the window was locked, as were all others and doors at the house.

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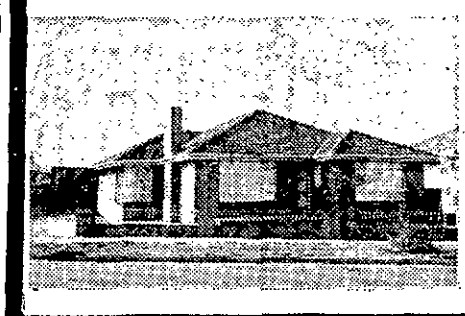
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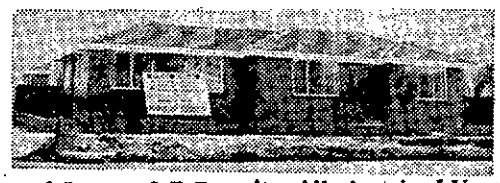
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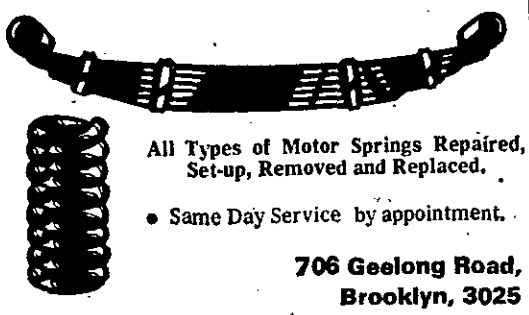
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HUNT, (Burgess). — Dianne, Ron and Jason welcome with love the arrival of Simon John at A.D.H. Special thanks to Dr. Leyden, sisters Carland and Davis.

PATERSON, (McQuiston). — To Norma and Wayne, a son at Altona 8.8.72. (Paul Shannon). Both well.

ENGAGEMENTS

CALLANDER — PEDRINA. — Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Callander of Altona and Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Pedrina of Hamilton are happy to announce the engagement of Frances and Harold (Jason).

DEATHS

COOMBES, Joyce. — On August 14, loved sister-in-law of Bill and Ruby Coombes.
A Sad Goodbye.

TYLER, Frances. — August 3rd, 1972. God picked a beautiful rose
A friend we will never forget.
Love Dorothy and Bob.

IN MEMORIAM

ALLSOPP. — In loving memory of our dear son and brother Frederick, passed away August 4, 1947.
This day in August brings many regrets.
For we who loved you will never forget.
You left us so suddenly with thoughts unknown,
Yet we still have memories we are proud to own.
— Inserted by his loving father and mother, brother Ted, sister Mary, sister-in-law Ann and children.

BLACKBURN (Seidel-Davies). — In loving memory of my dear daughter, Betty May, who was called Home, 21.8.1950. Loving mother of Jeffry.
As we loved you so we miss you.
— Inserted by her loving mother and brothers.

BONE. — In loving memory of our mother, Janet Bone, who passed away August 20, 1965.
We who loved you love you still
Forget you Mum we never will.
— Your loving family Jean, Nellie, Elsa, Don.

FLETT. — In loving memory of my darling mother, Louisa, who passed away on August 22, 1965, also my dear dad, George, who passed away on August 11, 1956.
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HEFFEY. — In loving memory of dear mum, passed away 21st August, 1968, also dad, 11th May, 1954.
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JAMIESON. — In loving memory of our darling son and brother John, accidentally killed August 22, 1964.
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WATKINS (VX9471). — On August 14, 1942, killed at El Alamein, Harry, dearly loved son of the late Helen and Ernest Frank Watkins (MM), dearly loved brother of Muriel, brother-in-law of Jack, uncle of Paul.

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WILSHIRE. — In memory of a lovely friend.
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WILSHIRE. — In loving memory of my mother Ida, passed away August 20, 1971, aged 92.
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— Son Bill, Betty, grandsons Mark and Lyle.

THANKS

GROSLAND. Mrs. Mary Grosland wishes to THANK all neighbors, friends, for the many floral tributes, cards and personal messages of sympathy, following the death of my son Arthur. I would like especially to thank management and staff of Comet Transport, Homebush Social Club, Manager of Homebush Hotel, Hotham Hill Social Club, Comet Social Club and Night Line. Mr. Edwards also Mr. W. P. Whelan also Tobin Bros. for funeral arrangements.

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1. The maximum rate of interest to be paid is 6.3 p.c. p.a.

2. The purposes of which the loan is to be applied are —

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3. The period of the loan shall be 15 years.

4. The money borrowed shall be payable by providing out of the municipal fund 39 equal half-yearly instalments of $5201:35 each including principal and interest on the 17th day of April and the 17th day of October in each year during the currency of the Loan. The first instalment shall be payable on the 17th day of April, 1973.

5. Such monies shall be repayable to the office of the Commonwealth Savings Bank of Australia, Melbourne, or such other place or places which the Bank may from time to time require.

The plans, specifications and estimate of the cost of the proposed works and a statement showing the proposed expenditure of the monies to be borrowed are open for inspection at the Civic Offices, 115 Civic Parade, Altona.

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Strauss report okays station

Williamstown Council last Monday night accepted a report on the new Newport power station by Dr. Werner Strauss, and agreed to have it made public.

Dr. Strauss a chemical engineer, was briefed by the council to give an unbiased report on submissions made about the power station by the State Electricity Commission and the Williamstown Conservation and Planning Society.

Dr. Strauss concluded that the new power station would not have a significant impact on the residents of Williamstown, although it would add to the overall air pollution of the Melbourne basin.

He added that whether this was significant or acceptable would be decided by the Environment Protection Authority.

Land values affected

Dr. Strauss also concluded that the power station could also effect residential land values in the immediate vicinity of the station.

He said it was a matter of personal option whether the power station offended aesthetic tastes.

The new station would not be a major noise factor in the area and pollution levels would be well below the American Environment Protection Authority's standards.

Cash, jewellery in $320 raid

Cash and jewellery worth a total of $320 has been stolen in a daylight raid on a house in Paine Street, Newport.

Mr. Neil Pedretti left the house about 11.55 a.m. on August 9 and discovered the theft when he returned about 7.15 p.m.

A woman's pocket watch bearing the initials FB, a man's watch, other jewellery and $30 in cash were stolen.

Detectives at Footscray CIB do not know how the theives got into the house.

All doors and windows were locked and wire screen windows were intact.

The house had been ransacked when Mr. Pedretti arrived home.

A neighbor heard Mr. Pedretti's dog barking about 2.30 p.m. but did not investigate.

Detectives say they are also investigating other breakings in the area, following the same pattern.

WATCH FOUND

A lady's wrist watch has been found at th Williamstown Football ground.

The curator, Mr. Bob Saltman, picked up the watch the weekend before last and handed it to Williamstown police.

It can be identified and claimed at the police station.

TOO MANY FLATS

Williamstown Council has rejected plans by a Templestowe developer to build 15 flats at 92 Power Street.

The land application use for a two-storey block of flats was made by Messrs. R. J. Brown and D. Adey of Nambour Road, Templestowe.

It was refused because council considered 15 flats on the site would constitute an overdevelopment of the area and because two-storey developments in Power Street would not suit the area.

Golf news

Results of recent competitions conducted by Kooringal Golf Club and Associates are as follows.

August 8 — Stroke, A division, Mrs. V. Jones (15) 76 net, on a c/back from Mrs. P. Holdsworth (15), B Division, Mrs. M. Cox (28) 72 net, C. Division, Mrs. P. Bell (30) 66 net, play off VLGW Spoon, Mrs. A. Stewart (24) 74 net.

Jeans, cash go in day-time raid

A pair of man's jeans and $30 to $40 in cash was stolen from a Newport house, in a daylight raid by thieves.

The theft was from the home of Mrs. Edna Kerrs, in Monmouth Street, Newport.

Mrs. Kerrs left the house about 9 a.m. on August 9 and when she returned about 2 p.m., found the house had been ransacked.

A louvre window had been removed from a back window for the thieves to gain entry.

The cash had been stolen from various drawers and cupboards in the house.

GOODBYE MAX

The committee of management, of the Williamstown Football Club has announced plans to stage a farewell supper for retiring coach, Max Papley.

Max has played 54 games for Williamstown, 98 with Moorabbin and approximately 50 with South Melbourne.

He has represented Victoria with the VFA and VFL.

The supper dance will be on Show Eve, Wednesday, September 27 and a double ticket can be obtained from John Grieve (435 7780) for $10.

Tickets will also be available at the Dandenong ground, next Saturday.

FAIR FOR BOOKS STARTS

A Book Fair will be held at the Williamstown High School assembly hall, in Pascoe Street, on Friday, August 20, and Saturday 211.

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Nelson Gallery celebrates

The Nelson Gallery, Williamstown, is currently showing a collection of mixed paintings, prints and pottery as part of its Third Anniversary Exhibition.

Opened in August, 1969, the gallery has maintained a constant display of art works by well-known Melbourne artists and potters.

As well as providing for the needs of people living in the western suburbs, who are interested in art, the Nelson Gallery has frequent interstate visitors, who have particular requests for some of the more specialised prints and engravings which are available.

The current demand by collectors for early Australian prints and engravings has led the director, Bob Cunningham to specialise in these works. He also has some old masters.

Service groups and associations may be interested to know, that the gallery does not restrict itself to weekend business only. It is available for small meetings of parent groups and social clubs during week nights.

Bookings can be made now for 1973.

There is n no fee for hiring the gallery and the associations may use it for fund raising if they wish.

There is a moderate commission if the works are sold. Paintings can be left during gallery hours between 2 p.m., and 5 p.m., on Saturdays and Sundays.

Lacrosse: three finals chances

Williamstown have representatives in the A1, A2, and B grade finals, following the last round of lacrosse matches, last weekend.

In the juniors, E grade Fearons won their preliminary final and will meet Caulfield next week. The under-14s also won their match and will play-off in the grand final, next week.

DETAILS

A GRADE

Fearons 53 d. MCC 3.

Goals: A. Rolley 13, D. Allen 11, E. Toomey 9, R. Twomey, R. Cordell 5, R. Tregear 4 M. Orr, R. Flaherty 3. Best: R. Cordell, A. Rolley, R. Tatlow.

City 21 d. Malvern Red. 16.

Goals: T. Smith 8, G. Spicer 5, L. Jeremia 3, B. McDonald, J. Butkewiecz, 2, J. Stephenson.

Malvern Black 45 d Deacons 9.

Goals: M. Doull 3, B. Davidson, J. Hunter, J. Bunnett 2. Best: H. Doehner, M. Doull, B. Davidson.

B GRADE

Fearons d. Surrey Park.

Goals: B. Tee, 14, C. Donnelly 3, J. Garnsworthy, T. Walsh 2, B. Brown, R. Wilkinson, G. Smith, Neil Speakman. Best: D. McLaren, R. Speakman, I Fraser.

E GRADE

Fearons 29 d. Malvern 4.

Goals: B. Taylor 7, J. Hartley 6, C. Jennings, R. Veltmeyer 4, R. Higgins 2, G. Congdon, J. Bowers, D. Wilkinson. Best: D. Wilkinson, J. Hartley, B. Taylor.

G GRADE.

Grand Final-Footscray Park 14 d. FIT. 4. Foots. goals: D. Clark, 7, Ball 4, Timms, Wilkinson, L. Clark. Best: Ball, L. and D. Clark. F.I.T. Goals: Richards 3, Lawson. Best: Richards, Walker, Lawson.

Loser's final — Deacons 7 d. City 6.

Deacon goals: Denniston, J Tuck, 3, Fewster. Best: Tuck, Denniston, Linke. City goals: A. Machar 4, M. Jennings 2. Best: M. Jennings, A. Machar, D. Jennings.

Fearons 15 d. Hicks 2.

Fearon goals: D. Kenwary, A. Machar 4, P. Kenwary, Mitvalsky 2, Webb, Downs Stehens. Best: D. Kenwary 2, A. Machar, P. Kenwary. Hick goals: Penrose, Kline, Best: Penrose, N. Murray, Kline.

NEXT WEEK.

A GRADE — Deacons v. MCC, at Albert Ground.

B GRADE — No details.

E GRADE — Fearons v. Caulfield, at Central Park, at 1.30 p.m.

The Fearons, favorites for the A1 flag easily defeated MCC, 53-3; The Deacons, possibles for A2 flat, went down to Malvern Blacks, 45-9, and B grade hopefuls. Fearons proved too powerful for Surrey Park.

Gift from crew

The personnel of HMAS **Torrens**, which has been undergoing a refit at the R.A.N. dockyards, Williamstown, has presented the Spotswood-Kingsville RSL with a mounted crest.

The crest is in appreciation of the hospitality the branch has offered to the ship's company during her stay in Williamstown.

LICENCE TO SELL

Williamstown Council will offer no objection to Williamstown Court granting a secondhand dealers' licence to Mr. M. G. Ridgewell.

Mr. Ridgewell runs a business selling boats, cars, motors, trailers, caravans and boating accessories, from 200 Koroit Creek Road.

CITY OF WILLIAMSTOWN

ANNUAL ELECTION

CENTRE WARD

I hereby give notice that the following Candidates have been nominated for the Office of Councillor of the CENTRE WARD viz:—

MASHFORD, Neville.
TITTER, Agustus Charles.
WHITTAKER, Howard Brefteau.

and as the number of Candidates nominated exceeds the number to be elected, a Poll of the Ratepayers will be taken at the Williamstown Town Hall on Saturday, the 26th day of August, 1972, commencing at 8.00 o'clock in the forenoon and closing at 8.00 o'clock in the afternoon.

VOTING AT THIS ELECTION IS COMPULSORY.

J. E. MORLEY,
Returning Officer.

CITY OF WILLIAMSTOWN

ANNUAL ELECTION

SOUTH WARD

I hereby give notice that the following Candidates have been nominated for the Office of Councillor of the South ward viz:—

LINKE, David Ernest.
WHITE, Keith Charles.

and as the number of Candidates nominated exceeds the number to be elected, a Poll of the Ratepayers will be taken at the undermentioned places:—

The Williamstown Croquet Club, Victoria Street, Williamstown.
St. Johns Ambulance Pavilion, Esplanade, Williamstown.

The date of the Poll will be Saturday, the 26th day of August, 1972, commencing at 8.00 o'clock in the forenoon and closing at 8.00 o'clock in the afternoon.

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J. E. MORELY,
Returning Officer.

CITY OF WILLIAMSTOWN

ANNUAL ELECTION

VICTORIA WARD

I hereby give notice that the following Candidates have been nominated for the Office of Councillor of the VICTORIA Ward viz:—

BERNARD, Adelle
BYRON, Jack Mervyn.

and as the number of Candidates nominated exceeds the number to be elected, a Poll of the Ratepayers will be taken at the undermentioned places:

The Newport Elderly Citizens' Club, Mason Street, Newport.
The West Newport Kindergarten, Woods Street, West Newport.
The Methodist Church Sunday School Hall, Hudson Road, Spotswood.

The date of the Poll will be on Saturday, the 26th day of August, 1972, commencing at 8.00 o'clock in the forenoon and closing at 8.00 o'clock in the afternoon.

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J. E. MORLEY,
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CITY OF WILLIAMSTOWN

ANNUAL ELECTION

NORTH WARD

I hereby give notice that the following Candidates have been nominated for the Office of Councillor of the NORTH didates nominated exceeds the WARD viz:—

CLANCY, Herbert William.
WAIGHT, Dorothy.

and as the number of Candidates nominated exceeds the number to be elected, a Poll of the Ratepayers will be taken at the undermentioned places:—

The U.F.S. Dipensary, Davies Street, Newport.
RVB Engineering Pty. Ltd., Hall Street, Newport. The Church of Christ, Corner Douglas Parade and John Street, Williamstown.

The date of the Poll will be on Saturday, the 26th day of August, 1972, commencing at 8.00 o'clock in the frenoon and closing at 8.00 in the afternoon.

VOTING AT THIS ELECTION IS COMPULSORY.

J. E. MORLEY,
Returning Officer.

CENTRALS BACK IN FOUR

Werribee Centrals battled their way back into the four, with a convincing win over South Kingsville in last weekend's round of the Western Suburban Football League.

They are ahead of Williamstown Methodists on percentage and appear as though they can hold on to their finals claim.

Other winners were Altona City, Newport, Newport Methodists and Central Altona.

DETAILS.

1st DIVISION: Newport 14.7 (91), West Newport 8.11 (59); Altona City 28.17 (185). W'town Meths. 2.7 (19); Central Altona 25.19 (169); Maidstone 2.8 (20); Werribee Central 23.18 (156), Sth. Kingsville 9.8 (62); Newport Meths. 18.19 (127); Laverton 3.4 (22).

2nd DIVISION (Semi-Final).

Brooklyn 21.15 (141) d. Yarraville United 12.13 (95).

UNDER-18 (Final).

Altona City 17.8 (110) d. Newport 9.17 (85).

1ST DIVISION.

Altona City v. Newport; West Newport v. Maidstone; Central Altona v. Sth. Kingsville, Werribee Central v. Laverton, Newport Meths. v. W'town Meths.

2ND DIVISION

(Curtain raiser to under 18 final)

Altona City v. Sunshine Heights.

UNDER 18 (Newport, at 2.30 p.m.)

Brooklyn v. Altona City.

UNDER 16 (Semi-Final, at Newport, at 10 a.m.)

Williamstown Methodists v. Laverton.

LADDERS

1st DIVISION

Altona City 68, Newport 60, Central Altona 44, Werribee Central 40, W'town Meths. 40, West Newport 30, Laverton 20, Newport 20, South Kingsville 16, Maidstone 4.

UNDER 16

W'town Fourths 68, Altona City 56, W'town Meths 52, Laverton 44, Newport 32, Werribee Central 20, Maidstone 12.

City crushes Methodists

Altona City produced power football last weekend and annihilated Williamstown Methodists.

Meths had no answer to their opponents dashing, tear-away style of play.

Altona City 28.17 d. Williamstown Mehts. 2.7.

Goals: G. Page, P. Castles.

Best: J. Hale, T. Funston, P. Bell, A. Clements, R. Lawerson.

UNDER-16

Williamstown Meths 32.21 d. Maidstone 0.2.

Goals: R. Powley 7, L. Davis 6, T. Hall, S. Lee, 4, S. Kritipoulous, G. Ravenscroft, A. Dyson 3, J. Farrell 2.

Best: S. Kritopoulous, R. Powley, S. Vasil, T. Hall, L. Davis.

Back in form

Newport ladies lacrosse team staged a magnificent comeback after the previous week's bad showing and easily defeated top side Footscray 5-1.

Newport is placed equal second with Williamstown on the ladder.

Goals: Chris Connell, Suzanne Mellis 2, Janet Gammon.

Best: Elaine Mathews, Suzanne Mellis, Vicki Boardman.

Maroons down to Frankston

Altona City soccer team once again failed in front of goal and was defeated 1-0 by a **more direct Frankston.**

The Maroon defence is doing a sterling job each week but there is not one player up front who is capitalising on the backs play.

Copley, Healey and Murray are in excellent form, capably backed up by the uncanny skill of Jimmy Ackers. These four give little away.

Coach Harry Sutherland has achieved remarkable results with his defence but *it is time he concentrated* on the forwards. Little and Hynes battle gamely but they receive a minimum of support.

With one or two changes *they will take a power of* beating.

Taylor, Herman and Micevski are all players who should be used in some way or another.

GREENS OPEN

The official opening of *the Williamstown Bowling* Club's greens will take place at the club pavilion on Friday, September 1, at 7.45 p.m.

VIKINGS SLASH WILLY'S HOPES

Altona City's magnificent Vikings put paid to any chance Williamstown had of making the final four by blasting them off the Fearon Reserve last Saturday.

Altona produced their best form for the season, combining brilliantly, hand balling with skill and intelligence and playing on at all costs.

Williamstown tried hard all day and did not look as bad as the scores might indicate. However, they were no match for the irrepressible Vikings.

The forward work of Altona City was perfection itself, and the back line was impassable.

Altona won the ball at almost every centre bounce and used the ball to great advantage.

Each player contributed whenever the occasion demanded.

Those to show out in an even side included Martin Crump, in great form, dominated play throughout, winning countless kicks around the ground and putting himself in first on every occasion.

Glen Morgan was in great form also on the wing. This speedy, courageous little player is never beaten.

Russell Ewen, in the back pocket, repelled many attacks and in doing so, directed his foot passing and clearing kicks with deftness.

Ron Schwabe had a great tussle at full-forward with former VFA star full-back, Tom Russell.

Ron's efforts in notching 10 goals, and creating many opportunities for team mates, made him a clear winner on the day.

Geoff Ewen displayed coolness *and authority throughout* the game marking courageously and kicking beautifully.

Geoff was particularly damaging around the forward line.

Enzo Valenti was brilliant on *a half-forward flank. His in*spiring high marking and ability to contest continually were winners for Altona.

Unfortunately, Enzo left the ground with a knee injury shortly after the start of the third quarter.

Goal kickers, R. Schwabe 10, S. Chatfield 4, G. Ewen 3, M. Crump 3, E. Valenti, Maltisdale, G. Wilson 2, P. York, G. Munro 1.

Final scores: Altona City 28.17 (185) Williamstown 2.7 (19).

Under 18

Altona City mastered Newport in a fiery preliminary final encounter at Newport Oval, last Sunday.

Down in the first half, the Vikings revived themselves late *in the game to run out easy* winners in an entertaining match.

At each meeting of these two clubs throughout the season, Newport have managed to win by a few points and due to this they were extremely confident of repeating their past performances.

This appeared to be the case early in the game, but a new look Altona City applied themselves to the task admirably and showed form that must make them a big chance to knock off Brooklyn in next week's grand-final.

Solid defence and the will to win, were the major factors in the side's good performance.

Cecil Martin, at full-back gave a perfect exhibition, featuring beautiful drop-kicking and strong marking under a great deal of pressure.

Wayne Jones picked up a "million" kicks on the wing putting them all to good use and generally inspiring his teammates.

Peter (beanstalk) Milden Hall gave a classic exhibition at centre half-forward, and was the main force behind the side's comeback.

John. Hampton applied his pace and "heart" to great advantage, rushing in where only fools would go and coming off with the ball.

Jock O'Connor was damaging around the ground, using his skill to initiate countless attacks.

Alan Willett was solid all day, carrying the burden of the physical work.

Goalkickers: P. Mildenhall 6, A. Donnelly 5, K. Churchill 3, J. O'Connor 2.

Best: W. Jones 19 pts., P. Mildenhall 15, J. Hampton 13, C. Martin 11, J. O'Connor 6, A. Willett 3, K. Churchill 2.

Final scores: Altona City 17.8 *(120) d. Newport 9.17 (73).*

ROBERT THOMAS MOTORS AWARD:

First division — M. Crump 5, G. Morgan 5, R. Schwabe 4, R. Ewen 4, G. Ewen 3.

Under-16 — W. Jones, winner with 28 votes.

Congratulations to Bill Devereaux for winning the League second division best and fairest player award. And also to *David Marshall* for being under-18 runner-up.

Baseball teams win well

All senior teams of Williamstown Baseball Club were successful last weekend and now move one step closer towards the club championship.

The seniors defeated Ormond-Glenhuntly 5-0.

Safe hits: Pedretti 2, Harris, Johnston, Parnaby, Treadwell.

Best: Harris, Pedretti, Johnston.

Next week is the final round of home and away matches to *be played at Straw Field at* 12.30 p.m. between Williamstown and Melbourne University.

The second team had a runaway victory over Ormond-Glenhuntly, 20-3.

Safe hits: Humphries 4, Collins, Dougall 2, McLeod, Parker, Flower, Wendt.

Best: Humphries, Collins, Flower, Dougall.

Next week's game at Straw *Reserve starts at 1.30 p.m.*

The third team scraped home against Ormond-Glenhuntly, 9-7.

Safe hits: Balcam, G. Massey 2, R. Massey, Wainstein, Warnecke, Johns.

Best: G. Massey, R. Warnecke, W. Johns.

The combined presentation night was held at Barclay Reserve, Sunshine, recently and the following awards were presented.

Under 13 — Len Breninger Trophy, W. Marr; most reliable, M. Foord; best base runner, G. McVeigh; G. De Rose batting trophy, L. Dewsley.

Under 15 — H. Smith Memorial Trophy, J. Bruce; best batter, A. Moloney; most serviceable, B. Murphy.

Under 17 — Kevin Vergos Trophy, K. Smith; runner up, R. Massey; equal third R. Vergos and G. Mavroyeni.

Presentations, on behalf of the players, were also made to the manager of the Under 13s, N. Baker, Under 15s coach R. Saker, manager of the Under 15s, W. Bruce and Under 17 coach, F. Bowyer.

Tennis tourney for students

The annual tournament for schoolboys and schoolgirls will be held at Kingsville tennis courts, Wattle Street, Kingsville, from August 21-25.

Light luncheons and refreshments will be available during the tournament and trophies will be presented at the club at about 4 p.m. on Friday, August 25.

Players are reminded they must be ready to take the court at the scheduled time, otherwise they will be disqualified.

Time Table:

Monday — 8.30 a.m., boys under 14 singles, 9.00 a.m., girls under 14 singles, 9.30 a.m., boys under 13 singles, 10.00 a.m., girls under 13 singles, 10.30 a.m., boys under 19 doubles, 11.00 a.., girls under 19 doubles, 11.30 a.m., boys under 15 doubles, 11.30 a.m., girls under 15 doubles, 1.00 p.m., boys under 16 doubles, *1.30 p.m., girls under 16* doubles, 2.00 p.m., boys under 17 doubles, 2.00 p.m., girls under 17 doubles.

Tuesday — 8.30 a.m., boys under 19 singles, 9.00 a.m., *girls under 19 singles, 10.00* a.m., boys under 16 singles, 10.30 a.m., girls under 16 singles, 11.30 a.m., girls under 16 singles, 11.30 a.m., boys under 17 singles, 12 noon, girls under 17 singles, 1.00 p.m., boys under 15 singles, 1.30 p.m., girls under 15 singles.

Wednesday — 9.00 a.m., boys under 13 doubles, 9.30 a.m., girls under 13 doubles, 10.30 a.m. boys under 12 singles, 10.00 a.m., girls under 12 singles, 11.00 a.m., boys under 14 doubles, 11.30 a.m., girls under 14 doubles.

Thursday — mixed doubles.

Friday — Finals day

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Caddy's bird the fastest

V. Caddy, of the Keilor club, had the best bird with a velocity of 1208 ypm, in the Western Pigeon Federation's second St. Arnaud race, held on August 12.

Club results were as follows:

Newport — J. Saggers, 1171 ypm 1; T. Kwaitowski, 1169 yph 2; H. Ashley, 1162 ypm 3; *B. Deme, 1157 yph 4.*

Keilor — V. Caddy, 1208 ypm 1; Sweeny and Galleja,H 1204 yph 2; S. Kehagias, 1193 ypm 3; C. DeBono, 1190 ypm 4.

Sunshine — D. Shooter, 1174 ypm 1; B. Morsehead, 1171 ypm 2; P. Roberts, 1155 ypm 3; J. Cornish, 1153 ypm 4.

Williamstown — N. Connell, 1164 ypm 1; A. and S. Carter, 1158 ypm 2; K. Morland, 1157 ypm 3; M. Dekeyser, 1151 ypm 4.

St. Albans — R. Jansen, 1156 ypm 1; S. Vandenheuvel, 1156.1 ypm 2; C. Borg, 1153 ypm 3; W. Stawicki, 1141 ypm 4.

Altona — G. Gardener, 1142 ypm 1; R. Missi and son, 1138 ypm 2; C. Cooper, 1134 ypm 3; *A. and J. Knight, 1125 ypm 4.*

Laverton — Andrews, 1097 ypm 1; W. Harsthorne, 1096 2; K. Anton, 1088 ypm 3.

Kooringal golf

Results of Kooringal golf last week were —

Thursday: 9 holes, E. Clare 4-up; 18 holes, J. Mercer 4-up.

Saturday: Stroke, A grade, F. Pedler 69 net, B grade, J. McCusker 66 net, C grade B. Fowler 64 net.

Sunday: Stableford, R. Patton 39, A. Parkinson 38, E. Moss 37.

PIGEON RACE

Williamstown Homing Club's race from St. Arnaud (125 m.) was flown in ideal conditions last Saturday, and some good results were returned.

M. Connell, 3 hr. 7 min. 58 sec., 1164 ypm, 1; D. and S. Carter, 3 hr. 6 min. 54 sec., *1150 ypm, 2; K. Morlang, 3 hr.* 9 min. 7 sec., 1157 ypm, 3; M. De Keyler, 3 hr. 6 min. 21 sec., 1151 ypm, 4.

Best form for a long while

Spotswood seniors produced their best form in recent weeks, to completely demolish a struggling Seddon, last weekend.

Seddon never appeared to offer any serious opposition, as the stronger, more determined Spotty raced forward time and time again.

A GRADE

Spotswood 15.18 (108) d. Seddon 12.16 (88).

Goals: Barnes 4, Viney 3, Bright, Nicol 2, More, Lee, Tweedley, Monolakakis. Best: Barnes, Viney, Moore, Lee, Manolakakis, A. Hewet, Williams.

A RESERVE

Albion 12.11 (83) d. Spotswood 8.8 (56).

Goals: Howarth, Lacey 2, Mackey, Doyle, Collins, Brown. Best: Thomas, Lacey, Tindall, Turvey, Tikitakis.

UNDER 17

Spotswood 11.12 (78) d. Footscray 6.9 (45).

Goals: Cameron, Howarth, Carrington 3, Lomas, Markovic. Best: Cameron, Howarth, Carrington, Hester, D. Smith, Couch, Caldwell, Nancarrow.

UNDER 15

Spotswood 20.17 (137) d. St. Albans 7.5 (47).

Goals: Lalor 7, Longlands 5, Haining 3, Dinatale 2, Gibson, Lynch, Matthews. Best: Dinatale, Haining, Matthews. Norton, Hynes, Longlands.

Pigeon news

Seven fliers and 181 birds participated in the second old bird race from St. Arnaud (APC).

Results are as follows: G. Gardener, 1142 ypm, 1; R. Mizzi, 1138 ypm, 2; C. Cooper, 1134 ypm 3; A. and G. Knight, 1125 ypm, 4.

NETBALL UP THEN DOWN

Williamstown high school senior girls' netball team entered the semi-finals of the metropolitan high schools' competition after an easy win over Ringwood, 42,34.

But they went down narrowly to Macleod in the next match, 27-30.

Best: Molly McTaggart, Marion Higham, Wendy McDonald, Gillian Chambers (until injured).

The boys' cross country run was held last week and placings in the senior division were Ray Powley (Possums)1, Steven Wilson (Possums) 2, Greg Bell (Wombats) 3. Placings in the junior division were Bill Brown (Wombats), 1 Kim Henderson (Wombats) 2, Keith Matty (Wombats) 3.

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Race 3: Gold Grotto 1; Vendor's Pride 2; Slick Socks 3.

Race 4: The Journey 1; Tina Killarney 2; Little Trio 3.

Race 5: Buff's Court 1; Mazari 2; Crown Prince 3.

Race 6: Royarco 1; Quail Bird 2; Fonda Money 3.

Race 7: Cheetah Moss 1; Master Caleb 2; Thunder Beauty 3.

Race 8: Blue Nye 1; Vanishing Moss 2; Riander Again 3.

Race 9: Alkie Mac 1, Nulla Oak 2; Ringtop 3.

Race 10: Cheldane Lass 1; Varley 2; Samalha 3.

BEST BET: Blue Nye (race 8). EACH WAY: Royarco (race 6).

SANDOWN SATURDAY

Race 1: Red Ritual 1; Proud Socks 2; Lady Mudlark 3.

Race 2: Maruzzella 1; Rochford Dianne 2; Tusion Princess 3.

Race 3: Regal Roamer 1; Mello Court 2; Bubble's Dream 3.

Race 4: Capri View 1; Saxon's Daughter 2; Marabou 3.

Race 5: Porky Pete 1; Happy Nanna 2; Buxton 3.

Race 6: Trev's Mistake 1; Half Your Luck 2; Miss Stuart 3.

Race 7: Fawn Labri 1; *Big League 2; Talisman 3.*

Race 8: Rosa Glen 1; Pedek 2; Miss New Holland 3.

Race 9: Bunratty Castle 1; Peasant Lass 2; Marasciallo 3.

Race 10: Tien Shan 1; Wyn's Delight 2; Samette 3.

BEST BET: Capri View. EACH WAY: Red Ritual.

OLYMPIC MONDAY

Race 1: Quail Bird 1; Fashion Platter 2; Court Venture 3.

Race 2: Miss Baines 1; Blackliner 2; *Which Opal* 3.

Race 3: Leading Lady 1; Pattie's Luck 2; Rare Pine 3.

Race 4: Saucy Princess 1; Royarco 2; Jacksonville 3.

Race 5: Vialray 1; Kua Lu 2; *Thunder Beauty 3.*

Race 6: Gold Grotto 1; Gerard The Gent 2; Getaway 3.

Race 7: Only Joping 1; Avon Fun 2; *Ronnie Vista* 3.

Race 8. The Little Gent 1; Zorbette 2; Bold Dux 3.

Race 9: Venetian Note 1; Cheeky Student 2; Extra Bit 3.

Race 10: Monarch's Gift 1; Binamaria 2; Honey Flash 3.

BEST BET: Only Joping (race 7). EACH WAY: Monarch's Gift (race 10).

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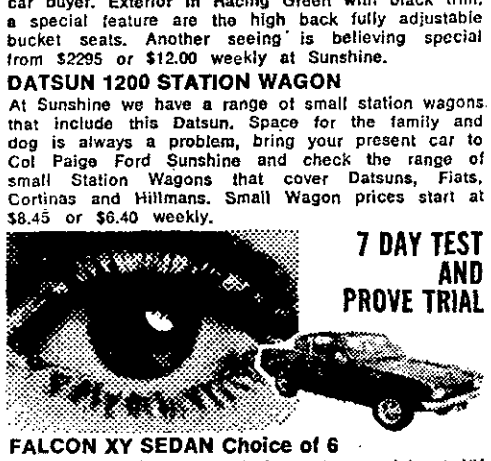
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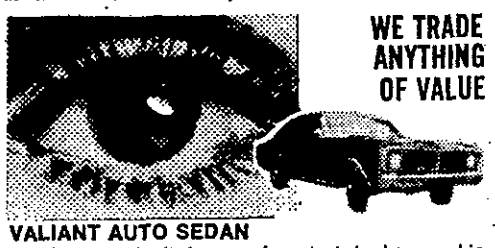
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Col Paige Footscray have an excellent range of Falcon Panel Vans an XW and XY, both these units are ready for work or leisure. One owner commercial units are hard to come by but here at Footscray we have the working man's dream machine. Extras include radio, heater and long reg. Specially priced for our August sale and only $100 is needed for full deposit.

HG MONARO Choice of 2

Our 1971 range at Footscray includes this HG Monaro of impeccable quality Silver Mink exterior with matching black and white houndstooth interior. Powered by the 186 engine with the flexible t-bar transmission. The Monaro is just the car to give your ego the lift it deserves. H.G. Monaros at Footscray carry the August sale prices and start as low as $2295 or only $12.00 weekly.



WE TRADE ANYTHING OF VALUE

VALIANT AUTO SEDAN

Our buyer feels it is very important to have a big range of cars under $1000. This one owner AP6 auto in light sky blue and immaculate matching interior is an example of good taste in buying. It is in show show room condition with 12 months registration and our three year warranty. We have no hesitation in recommending this car to the most fastidious buyer. With a choice of three-you can secure one as low as $895 and $6 weekly.

FAIRLANE 500's Choice of 7

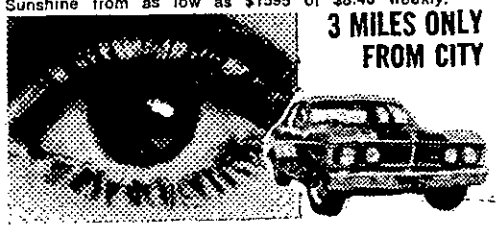
Both Footscray and Sunshine have Fairlanes in meticulous condition. Shimmering colours include Radiant Bronze, Artic white, Nugget Gold, Starlight Blue, Ivy Green. The Fairlane has of course the 302 V8 engine, auto transmission, power brakes and many other luxury features. Our Fairlanes have all these features and the exclusive Col Paige Ford warranty. Fairlanes ZB's and ZC's, Zb and ZF, all immaculate and from only $2100 or $100 deposit.



BANK RATE FINANCE

FIAT 850 SPORTS Choice of 2

As new throughout, in gleaming wildfire yellow with contrasting black interior. Special features of this economical high performance include as new pirelli tyres and radio. August sale believable specials from Sunshine from as low as $1595 or $8.40 weekly.



3 MILES ONLY FROM CITY

TORANA G.T.R. Choice of 2

Here's a wow this G.T.R. could be the one you've been looking for, easy on the eye and lavished with care and consideration since new. The unmarked exterior is in vermillion fire with black trim. Footscray have cornered the market on G.T.R.'s and reduced the prices during our August Seeing is believing sale prices of Torana G.T.R.'s from as low as $1645 or $14.00 weekly.

CORTINA TC SEDAN Choice of 5

These current model Cortinas are certainly the most popular yet produced. '71 and '72 models available at Footscray and Sunshine. August sale special is this Radiant Bronze XL Auto Sedan with press button radio, colours include Wild Violet, Yellow Fire, Artic White. Choice of manual and automatic transmissions. See the range of Cortinas at Col Paige Ford and believe the August special prices. Cortina TC's from $2395 at Sunshine and Footscray.

FALCON WAGONS '71 & '70 MODELS

It is a well known fact that there is a heavy demand on Ford wagons. Yet we have secured 10 to sell at special sale prices this weekend. This one owner extremely low mileage XW Fairmont is just one example of complete pleasure motoring. Unmarked diamond white duco with saddle interior and matching carpet. It has 12 months registration and a full three year warranty. You can have one just like this for as low as $2395 on no deposit and an easy $13.80 weekly.



NO BETTER WAY TO BUY A CAR

FAIRMONT SEDANS Choice of 5

The Fairmont has luxury, comfort, performance and prestige. If you think you can afford something a little extra you can do yourself a favour and test drive one of our range of Fairmonts at Sunshine. This group of luxury cars include a choice of V8 or 6 cylinder engine, extras include radios, all, of course, have the individually adjustable body contoured bucket seats. XP's, XR's, XT's XY's. All at Sunshine. Fairmonts from as low as $1195 or $7.90 weekly.

MORRIS 1100 Choice of 2

'65-'66. Cars to suit the discerning and dollar conscious buyer. We have at Sunshine a range of small cars that include Morris 1100, Morris 850, Fiat, Hillman, Torana, Honda. All the economical cars are featured during August at our special sale prices. All cars warranted by Col Paige and we will personally tailor a buying arrangement to suit you. Seeing is believing the range of cars to suit you, the small car buyer, all at Sunshine from as low as $795 or $5.90 weekly.



FREE R.A.C.V. OR V.A.C.C. TEST

HR HOLDEN 8 in stock

We have made a scoop purchase of this very popular model. All fitted with the big 186 motor in both auto and manual transmissions. A full colour range and extras include radio, power disc brakes, power heater and carpets. Priced to clear this weekend from as little as $975 and an easy $6.95 weekly.

FORD CAPRI Choice of 5

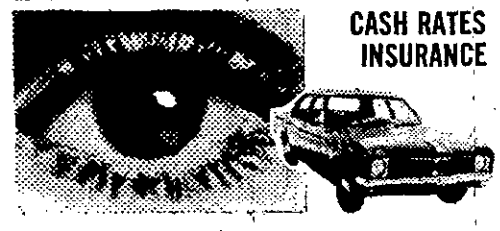
Where better to buy a Ford than from Col Paige Ford. These eye appealing Capris feature choice of either manual or automatic transmission. This weeks' seeing and believing special is featured in Meadow Mist Green with Black interior, an auto model with press button radio. Capris at Col Paige Ford Sunshine are priced from as low as $1590 or $10.20 weekly.

FORD ESCORTS Choice of 5

70/72 models available. These economical vehicles are the ultimate in petrol savings, and these days this surely is something to think about. Our range includes both manuals and automatics, together with a number of one owner units. Colours are Cool White, Ivy Green, Red Pepper, Sapphire Blue and Hot Orange. All Escorts are covered with the unbelievable Col Paige Warranty. Escorts at Sunshine and Footscray from as low as $1390 or $9.90 weekly.

VOLKSWAGEN '68/'70 Choice of 6

You would think Sunshine was in the heart of Berlin. We have Volkswagens galore all hand picked and thoroughly serviced. We have some with service histories. Radios and other extras. Check these August sale specials at Col Paige Sunshine. Colours of our lavish range of V.W.'s include Chocolate Brown, Mist Blue and Sea grass green. V.W. prices from as low as $1095 or $7.00 weekly.

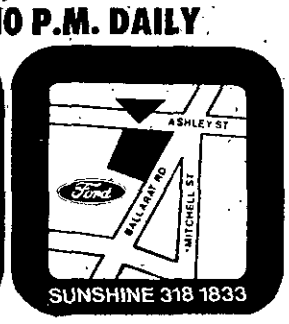


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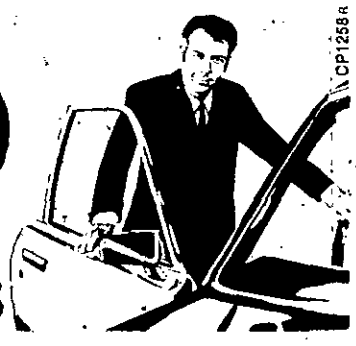


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